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RE: Petition #1141301

Dear Mr. Magazzu:

The staff of the Division of Gaming Enforcement's (Division) Regulatory Enforcement Bureau reviewed Petition #1141301 filed by Harrah's Atlantic City Operating Company, d/b/a/ Harrah's Resort Atlantic City (Harrah's), dated April 24, 2013, and an amended letter to supplement the above referenced petition dated April 29, 2013. Harrah's is seeking approval to amend its Certificate of Operation and Casino Hotel Beverage (CHAB) License.

Harrah's casino is currently operating under a Certificate of Operation which was approved in Petition #0651303 on March 15, 2013, by the Division of Gaming Enforcement.

By Petition #1141301 Harrah's seeks approval to complete modifications to its casino floor as depicted on the architectural drawing labeled PCO-65, dated April 04, 2013, which were prepared and certified by Michael Demling, RA, License #08676, of Michael Demling Associates.



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The petitioner proposes the following:

1. Pit #2 Remove one (1) table and add one (1) table.
2. Pit #10 Remove one (1) table and add one (1) table.
3. Slot Zone A Remove twenty (20) slot machines and twenty (20) slot stools. Rearrange and renumber slot rows AF, AI, AJ, and AK.
4. Slot Zone B Eliminate Slot Zone B (104 slot machines and stools). Reduction of casino area by 3,510 square feet.
5. Slot Zone D Remove twenty-two (22) slot machines and twenty-two (22) slot stools. Rearrange and renumber slot rows DB, DR, DS, DT, and DU.
6. Slot Zone E Remove fifteen (15) slot machines and fifteen (15) slot stools. Add two (2) slot machines and add two (2) slot stools. Rearrange and renumber slot rows EG, EI, EK, EQ, and ES.
7. Slot Zone F Remove twenty-four (24) slot machines and twenty-four (24) slot stools. Rearrange and renumber slot rows FD, FE, and FF.
8. Slot Zone G Remove eight (8) slot machines and eight (8) slot stools. Rearrange and renumber slot row GB.
9. Slot Zone I Remove fifteen (15) slot machines and fifteen (15) slot stools. Add four (4) slot machines and four (4) slot stools. Rearrange and renumber slot row ID and IF.
10. Slot Zone L Remove six (6) slot machines and six (6) slot stools. Rearrange and renumber slot rows LQ, LR, and LS.
11. Slot Zone R Remove four (4) slot machines and four (4) slot stools. Rearrange slot row RB, and rearrange and renumber slot row RC.
12. Slot Zone S Remove twenty (20) slot machines and twenty (20) slot stools. Rearrange slot row SB, rearrange and renumber slot rows SC, SE, SG, SH, SI, SJ, SK, SL, SM and SN.

13. Slot Zone T Remove forty-one (41) slot machines and forty-one (41) slot stools. Rearrange and renumber slot rows TC, TD, TE, TF, TH, TJ and TK.
14. Slot Zone V Remove twenty (20) slot machines and twenty (20) slot stools. Rearrange and renumber slot rows VF, VG, VH, VI and VN.
15. Slot Zone Z Remove twenty (20) slot machines and twenty-one (21) slot stools. Rearrange slot row ZD, rearrange and renumber slot rows ZE, ZG and ZH.

Miscellaneous

1. Various camera changes in the Diamond Cove, Slot Zone Z, Slot Zone V, Slot Zone F, and Slot Zone E.
2. Harrah's requests that its Casino Hotel Alcoholic Beverage (CHAB) license (Type I Authorized Areas) be amended to reflect the proposed changes to the casino floor.

The summary of the statistical calculations is as follows:

1. A decrease of three hundred thirteen (313) slot machines and a decrease of three hundred fourteen (314) slot stools. The total number of slot machines is **2,313** and the total number of slot stools is **2,312**;
2. The total approved table games remains at **175**;
3. The casino floor area will decrease by three thousand five hundred ten (3,510) square feet from one hundred fifty-eight thousand four hundred ninety-seven (158,497) square feet to one hundred fifty-four thousand nine hundred eighty-seven (154,987) square feet . The Simulcast area will remain the same at five hundred sixty-nine (569) square feet. The total gaming area, including Simulcast, will decrease to one hundred fifty-five thousand five hundred fifty-six (155,556) square feet;

4. The allowable slot coverage (90% of **155,556** sq. ft) is one hundred forty thousand (**140,000**) square feet; and,
5. The actual slot coverage is ninety-eight thousand six hundred (**98,600**) square feet which is **63.4%** of the total gaming area and within the allowable 90% for slot density.

Based on the Division's authority, the requested amendments to Harrah's Certificate of Operation and CHAB license as set forth above, are hereby granted pursuant to N.J.A.C. 13:69C-7.1, et seq. This approval authorizes a casino room containing and consisting of **155,556** square feet of total gaming space, **175** table games, **2,313** slot machines and **2,312** slot stools.

Please note that the designation of smoking areas in casinos is subject to the jurisdiction of the N.J. Department of Health and Senior Services and the Atlantic City Department of Health and Human Services, not the Division. Accordingly, this letter should in no way be construed as approving areas of the gaming floor for smoking.

This approval is subject to the following conditions:

- A. That revised operational blueprints, reflecting the changes approved herein, be submitted to the Division's Regulatory Enforcement Bureau, casino licensee's security podium and the casino licensee's CCTV monitoring room;
- B. That Harrah's notifies the Division immediately in the event of any modification to the approvals granted herein;
- C. That all CCTV cameras must be accessible from the Division's CCTV monitoring system as required by N.J.A.C. 13:69D-1.10(a)3;
- D. That a revised Slot Master List is submitted to the Technical Service Bureau of the Division;
- E. That a revised Table Game Inventory List is submitted to the in-house Division office;

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- F. That Harrah's complies with CCTV requirements identified in N.J.A.C. 13:69D-1.10 regarding the requirements to record all gaming tables whether active or inactive;
- G. That Harrah's complies with all requirements and conditions appended to approvals received from all involved agencies of government whose approvals are required in order for a Certificate of Occupancy for the general public to be issued including, but not limited to, the Department of Community Affairs and the local construction official; and,
- H. Once modifications have been completed, satisfactory inspections and approvals by the Division are required to ensure that the changes made conform to the petition. The review also includes, but is not limited to, an assessment of the adequacy of CCTV and security coverage. Such inspections must be done **prior to the proposed areas being used for gaming activity.**

To schedule an inspection, please contact the Division at inspections@njdge.org.

If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact Bill Kendzierski of my staff at 441-7557.

Sincerely,



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